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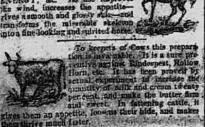
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lowing Resolution: Resolution: paid for Life Insurance, to the Companies of the North and East, which sums, being there invested, contribute to the enrichment of those sections, whilst our own South is greatly in need of cash capital to prosecute success fully our Agricultural and Mechanical enterprizes; it is ordered, that for the purpose of retaining these sums in our midst, hereafter a certain pro-

portion of the net cash receipts from premiums, amounting to not more than 70 per cent. of the same be invested in such manner as may be in accordance with the regulations of the Company, in those sections from which the said premiums are attained." WM. B. JOHNSON, Pres't. (Signed)

GEORGE S. O'BEAR, Sec'ry.

In accordance with the above Resolution a Board of Advisory Trustees has been regularly organized at Edgefield C, H., S. C., with the following

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Don't forget dear mother, With her furrowed brow, Once as fair and smooth. As the driven anow! Are her steps uncertain? Is her hearing poor! Guide her gently till she star Safe at Heaven's door.

Don't forget the old folks,
Love them there and more.
As they, with unshrinking feet,
Near the "shining shore."
Let your words be tender,
Loving, soft and low;
Let their last days he the best
They have known below.

A Child's Dream.

strolled about a good deal, and thought of a number of things. He had a sister, who was a child, too, and his constant companion. These two used to wonder all day long. They won-dered at the beauty of flowers; they

BY CHARLES DICKENS

wondered at the goodness and power of God, who made the lovely world. They used to say to one another sometimes. Supposing all the chil-dren on the earth were to die, would the flowers, and the water, and the would be sorry. "For," said they,
"the buds are the children of the
flowers, and the playful little streams the children of waters; and the

smallest bright specks playing at hide and seek in the sky all night must surely be the children of the stars; and they would be grieved to see their playmates; the children of There was a star that used to come on the sky before the rest, near the

church spire, above the graves, thought than all the others, and every night they watched for it, standing hand by the window; whoever saw it first cried out? " I see the star!"

And often they cried out together, knowing so well when it would rise and where: So they grew to be such friends with it that before lying, down in their beds they looked out once again to hid it good night; and when they were turning around to sleep, they, said-

"God bless that star!"

"God bless my brother and the

And so the time came all too soon, when there was no face on the bed; the star made long rays towards him | that insect.' who saw it through his tears.

Now, these rys were so bright and they seemed to make such a beautiful way from earth to heaven, that when the child went to his solitary bed, he dreamed of the star; and dreamed that lying where he was, he say a train of people taken up the shining road by angels. And the star opening, showed him a great world of light, where many more such

angels waited to receive them. All the angels who were waiting turned their beaming eyes upon the people who were carried up into the tar; and soon came out from the long rows in which they stood, and fell upon the people snecks and kiss-ed them tenderly, and went away with them down avenues of light, and were so happy in their company,

that lying in bed he wept for joy. His sister's angel lingered near the entrance of the star, and said to the eader among those who had brought the people thither ?"
"Has my brother come?"

She was turning hopefully away when the child stretched out his arms, and said—"O, sister, I am

time should come, and he thought he did not belong to earth alone, but to the star, too, because of his sister's angel gone before.

There was a baby born to be a brother of the child: and while he was yet so little that he had never spoken a word he stretched his tiny form out upon the bed, and died.

Again the child dreamed of the

open star, and the company of angels, and the train of people's faces. Said his sister's angel to the leader : " Has my brother come?" And he said :

"Not that one, but another." As the child beheld his brother's angel in her arms; he cried : "Q sister, I am here! take me!" And she turned and smiled upon im. and the star was shining. He grew to be a young man, and was busy with his books, when an old servant came to him, and said:

her blessing on her darling son.' Again that night he saw the star. and that former company. Said his sister's angel to the leader; "Has my brother come?" And he answered:

289 Broad St., Augusta, Ga. mother was united with her two children. And he stretched out his arms

He grew to be a man whose hair was turning gray, and was sitting by the fireside heavy with grief, and with his face bedewed with tears, when

the star opened once again, Said his sister's angel to the leader: " Has my brother come?"

And he said:
"Nuy, but his maiden daughter.
And the man who had been a child saw his daughter newly lost, to him, a celestial creature among those three, and said -"My daughter's head is upon m

mother's bosom, and her arm is around her neck, and at her feet is the buby of old time, and I can bear the part-ing from her, 'God be praised.' " And the star was shining.

And the child came to be an old

man, and his back was bent. And one night as he lay upon his bed, his ed as he had cried so long ago: And they whispered to one an

"He is dying."

"I am. My age is falling fromme like a garment, and I move to ward the star as a child. And, C my Father, now I tank Thee, that it has so often opened to receive the dear one's who await me. And the star was shining; and i

Beautiful Allegory.

shines upon his grave.

Mr. Crittenden, of Kentucky, was at one time defending a man who had been indicted for a capital offence. After an elaborate and powerful defense, he closed his effort with the following striking and beautiful al-

make man?" Then said Justice, 'Oh, God, make him not, for he will trample upon the laws.' Truth made anhe will pollute Thy sanctuaries.' But looking up through her teats, ex-

sents itself only at this moment, it piece of vegetable; this, remaining fast in the throat, caused a choking and there was a little grave among in the windpipe. This is the only the graves not there before, and when reason I could give for the death of

An Arkansas Letter.

Dover, October 3, 1872. MY DEAR BOY : The double-barrel that you sent came safely to hand, and I was only shot at once while I was carrying it home. Bill Silvers popped at me from behind the tence

. I am glad that one of the barrels is a rifle, as I need it for long range prevented. I don't blame any on a scribe their spare lands, the Railroad practice. The other I can ful with practice. The other I can ful with sick, or death-bee, who wife and chilbuckshot; and can ri dle a man niceabout a provision for wife and chilthe way to help build the Road by
dren; but surely it is highly desiremortgaging the lands, and in the ly at close quarters. I mean to try dren; but surely it is highly desiraly at close quarters. I mean to try but surely it is highly desirated both barrels on those Jetts when I be that, so far as possible, such cares meantime, arrangements might be should be taken out of the way. I made for colonizing them as is done or two. City residents lack the opportunities of those living in the war, and then, when stocked more than the lands, and in the with plants, it will take care of it made for colonizing them as is done or two. City residents lack the opportunities of those living in the when it was over pap laid for him and killed him. Then Nigger Tom Jett, as we called him—the black length and breadth of this land, I would advise every man, who can, if ged him. Then I picked a fuss with others are dependent upon him, to ing this road is not confined to local from, and cut him into grolets, and insure his life for the highest possible influences alone. Eventually it will since that time his brother Sam has amount."

will prove too much for him.

pleasantly.

I wish you would send me a cata-

My wife wants to know if you can't send her a set of teeth without hergetting measured for them. Her twenty-five dollar set was busted all to flinders by a pistol shot that went through her mouth; but it didn't Thy mother is no more. I bring hurt her tongue. Write soon to Your friend and pard,

P. S.-That sneaky, ornery cuss, Sam Jett; crept up last night and fir-A mighty cry of joy went forth be glad of a chance to try the double- dogs in the backyard. The sentimental

to one another for a month."

"A Good Man Leaveth An Inheritance."
To the subjoined article we invite

the especial attention of our readers, particularly those who have not made provision for their families by an Insurance Policy in case they the father or head of the family be called away by death's relentless mandate. Surely it is the desire of all

of us to "leave an inheritance" for our leved ones, and we know of no er fields, but as there is no purchasbetter plan to reduce this inheritance to an almost fixed certainty than by securing a Policy on our life payable to our family at our death.

This article we are not publishing

by the request, or in the interest of children standing around him, he cri- any Life Insurance Company, but solely because we are a strong advorance, and with the hope of bringing the subject forcibly to the minds of the uninsured class of our readers. To that class; in behalf of the blessed mothers and dear little children of our land, we say read the annexed remarks of the Rev. Dr. Guthrie, and rest not until you have procured a Policy on your life; "for in such and hour as you think not." you may he down in death; ere those you love and hold most dear are properly provided for a back water From the New York Observer

divines of the Church of Scotland.
His opinions are regarded with much respect and have a great influence with all who know his depth of emn occasions than this reverend genwatch over him withmy care through tleman, who has been so frequently

But while she was still very young. Waiter—"In fact, sir, I have no sermen of the preacher, who had tach, very young, the sister drooped, positive idea how the poor thing came hen these words for his text. Set and came to be so weak that she to his death. Perhaps it had not thine house in order, for then shalt could no longer stand in the window taken any food for a long time, dash-die; and so far I think he had good at night, and then the child looked and south pale face on the bed, and said. "I see the star!" and then a smile would constitution, for when I served the preach on the duty of every man, soup it was dancing merrily upon the surface. Perhaps, and the idea prefice to insure his life. And the text fice to insure his life. And the text South Carolina Railroad is deeply in-of my discourse would be this: "If terested in extending their connecendeavored to swallow too large a any provide not for his own, and spe- tions through Edgefield county, and cially fer those of his own house, he had denied the faith, and is worse than an infidel.'

which a Life Insurance would have

been laying for me. I know it is his Dr. Guthrie adds: "A man should the great West to the seaboard. St been laying for me. I know it is his turn, but I think my double barrel insure according to his circumstances; Louis, Louisville and Circimnati soon-but then, on the other hand, his circumstances; er or later must break through the here! take me!" and then she turnif you want to see fun come down
ied her beaming eyes upon him, and
then it was night, and the star was
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then it was night, and the star was
don't make any difference which side shining into his room, making rays vou belong to, and it isn't even nec- when I first came to Edinburgh, I had are extending their connections. By essary to join the militia. It is easy a small and uncertain stipend. There enabling farmers to purchase western through his tears.

From that moment the child looked out upon the sta; as one of the homes he was to go to, when the hind my nig pen is one of the sweethind my pig pen is one of the sweet- times another. But here I was; and ter; and by bringing western manuest hiding places I know of, and it is I felt that I ought to insure; and I factures in competition with those of for petty jealousy of heedless eligible so handy I A good many people come within range in the course of a week, and a man can pass his time right spare the money I had to pay for premiums. They told at that time that ally advance the prosperity of Aiken. I went about town with blue stock- As this would be the southern terlogue of Sunday School books, with ings and shoes, like a common plough minus, it is more than likely the logue of Sunday School books, with the prices, if there are any in St. Louis. If we can get them on time we will take a big lot of books. I am Superintendent of the Baptist Sunday school now, and am running it under a full head of steam. Old man Byers, who was turned out, is right mad about it, and swears that he will about the sunday school now, and superintendent of the Baptist Sunday school now, and am running it under a full head of steam. Old man Byers, who was turned out, is right mad about it, and swears that he will about the sunday school now, and superintendent of the Baptist been glad to have a cah—it was through self-denial and strict economic would be increased and property my that I put myself in the position would be more valuable. In this he will chaw me up; but he will my that I put myself in the position would be increased and property would be more valuable. In this chaw lead if he don't keep clear of of feeling that my wife and children view it is to our interest to street would not be beggars at my death. And such; I say, is the duty of every man who can obtain a policy. It ap-pears to me to be a plain violation of the laws of Christianity and humani-ty for people to live in the indulgence of luxuries, and when God in His

> than beggars." ed at me through the window, but 'Im lonely, to-night, love, without thee," he didn't happen to kill anybody under his Dulcimea's window, in Boston, "Im lonely, to-night, love, without thee," except a nigger girl. I mean to go the other evening, was very affecting "I hear that you and your wife quarrel and wrangle every day; let me warn you against such a fattal practice." "Whoever told you that, father, was totally healthier that way and he described to the interest of the South Carolina for the recently been the pull at an early day, that this recently been the pull at an early day, that the recently been the pull at an early day, that the interest of the South Carolina for the interest of the South Carolina for the interest of the South Carolina for the recently been the pull at an early day, that the recently been the pull at an early day, that the recently been the pull at an early day, that the recently been the pull at an early day, that the recently been the pull at an early day, that the recently been the south the most complete order. We are ever told you that, father, was totally healthier that way, and he doesn't really lar of the amount could be raised from of our Edge deld for mistaken-my wite and I havn't spoken care about "sitting on the attie, Mary," private officens along the line. Thus a generally to one another for a month." or anything else at present. or anything else at present.

Spartanburg and Aiken Baitroad. would ensure the built Now that the excitement attendant on the election is passing, away, it behooves our citizens to make the best of the situation, and instead of an average amounting to t giving way to deepondency; strive quired.—Aiken Journal.

giving way to despondency; strive ment of the country. With the onerous taxation which land-holders have to submit to, it is their interest to reduce the size of their farms and devote to a small area the labor which has heretofore been bestowed on largers for the surplus lands, the owners have to hold them and pay the taxes, however difficult it may be to obtain the money. It is universally admitestimate being that Real Estate is at least doubled in value on an average for five miles on leach side of every

If this is the case it would be prof-

itable for land owners to give any corporation which would build a road

through their lands, or in their im-mediate vicinity, one half of their lands rather than let them lie idle and pay taxes year after year. It is evident that unimproved lands in South Carolina are not increasing in value property will not command the prices it would before the war or even three years ago, and any shrewd business man having lands which the cannot use, will find on making a calculation, that it is to his interest to dispose of a portion, and place the money at interest rather than let it lay idle, or worse than idle as the Dr. Guthrie is one of the leading taxes have to be paid every year whether it brings in an income or not The question then arises how to thought and practical experience of dispose of the lands to the best ad-"When God in his eternal council thought of man's oreal conceived the thought of man's oreal tion, he called to him the three minimum in the constantly want upon the three minimum in the constantly want upon the three minimum is the mental anguish of him who, throng Justice, Truth, and Mercy werging upon eternity, has him who, the make man?" Shall we double care of the firture of his own make man? Then said Justice, Oh, soul as well as the support of his own oping the natural resources of the purpose of developing the natural resources of the purpose of developing the natural resources of the purpose of developing the natural resources of the purpose of the natural resources. helpless family brought vividly be immediate vicinity, and, corporate fore him. "he est can paint them with others in promoting their mutu-who has fell hem most," and we all interests. Take for example, the he will pollute Thy sanctuaries. But can readily be, we that no man could line of country from Aiken to Eage. Mercy, dropping upon her knees, and better understand the feelings that field C. H., and Ninety Six. Could manifest themselves upon such sol- a Railroad be constructed on this line it would be of incalculable advantage to the people. Could the peo-

will unquestionably help if the work

is inaugurated.

As a matter of course the location than an infidel.'

"I feel, as a minister, how important it is, that on sick or dying beds, the mind should not be distracted by domestic cares; and what better earthly relief from these than such an office as this? People say,— Trust in Providence.' Well, I say so too; the Road would depend to a certain extent, on the amount of the subscriptions made by the people along the several proposed routes. In this view, we would urge, that meetings should be held, and Committees should be appointed to visit every than the several proposed routes. but I say with Oliver Cromwell,
'Trust in Providenc: and keep your each would do. Subscriptions of lapowder dry. Trust in Providence bor, material and lands; should be and insure your life. I have seen entered on the list, as well as those loaded the two-shooter as seon as I impediments standing in the way of got it, and he didn't jump up from behind that fence but once.

and insure your life. I have seen entered on the list, as well as those impediments standing in the way of or cash. In this way an indication which, in some sing corner, will orgonize the disposition of the serve its luxuriance, through winnry to visit, that arose from wordly cares ness on the part of the people to subprevented. I don't plame any on a scribe their space lands, we simple as one precess. Simple as one precess. Simple as one precess. Simple as one precess. Simple as one precess.

> he one of the links in the route from the east, the prices of many articles or roughness. Would you throw needed here will be reduced. The building of this Road would materially advance the prosperity of Aiken. weighed against the jewels of all the view it is to our interest to strain every nerve in aid of this Road. On next sale day, books for sub-scriptions are to be opened at Edge-field C. H., Pleasant Lane and Trapps Mill. What are the Commissioners

for Aiken about, that they are not of luxuries, and, when God in His moving in this matter?

providence takes them away, leave their wives and children little better is about 60 miles, and the estimated

cost of this road was \$1,250,000. The recent advance in the cost of iron would increase the cost of the road Now if one half of the amount could be raised by subscriptions, the balance could be had by mortgaging the road, and it is evidently so much.

It is a good thing for a young man to be "knocked about in the world," though his soft hearted parents may not think so. All youths, or if not all, nineteen twentieths of the sun total enter life with a singular of selfconceit. If in measuring themselves with wiser and older men than they are, they discover that it is unwarranted, and get rid of it gracefully. the money. It is universally admit-ted that lands contiguous to a Rail-road are more to be desired and will command a more ready sale when of-fered than those at a distance—the estimate being that Real Estate is at have been paramount, at home but golden rule. The world is a steat public school, and it soon teaches a new papil his proper place. If he has the attributes that belong to a leader he will be installed in the position of a leader; if not, whatever his own opinion of his abilities make, he will be compelled to fall he with the rank and file. If hot resined to greatness, the hex ity; but no min can be tr or respectable who is vair.

By the time the notice has found is legitimate social position, same high or low, the probability that the disagreeable traits character will be sortened the worn away. Most likely the p of abrasion will be rough, but

watch over him withrmy care through all the dark paths which he may have to tread. Then, God made man, and said to him, 'O, man, thou art the child of Mercy; go and deal with thy brother.'

The Jury, when he had finished was drowned in tears, and against evidence, and what must have been their own convictions, brought in a yerdiet of not guilty.

The Cause of It.—Guest—"How to me the peacher who had the peacher who had the peacher who had the people to the people. Could the people themselves the to decide, ince the doubt the "ephane of woman" in a time of the people themselves. But we confidently believe first the move of the people themselves the "ephane of woman" in a time of the people themselves. But we confidently believe first the move. The citizens of Edgefield county have been talking of building such love for the beautify the home we will have confidently believe aroused, the road dould be then to decide, ince, in these days. The only difficulty is the woman in a time of the "ephane of woman" in a partity of the weathy of the "ephane of woman" in a partity of the "ephane ing tangible progress, and Augusta comes to the rescue and offers to build the bridge across the Savannah river and five miles of Road, if the people of the county will extend the road to Greenwood.

Now, if the citizens of the eastern section will take hold in earnest help will be forthcoming for them too. The South Carolina Railroad is deeply integrated in extending their connections and golden hues: they ing to red and golden hues; they have gathered the choicest, and carefully pressed them. Ferns and grass-es have been plucked, and the collec-tion is varied and beautiful, yet they will not regard, it complete until the "melancholy days" have come—October days are certainly not much; then they will fill their vases with sand, and arrange the bright-hued leaves in tasteful bouquets. All win. ter long they will give a cheery look to the parlor, the dining-room, the library. Mosses and ferns have also library. Mosses and ferns have also been taken from their native soil and months. A ternery is scarcely any trouble to its owner. It may simple as one pleases. A box with necessary, and then, when stocked

one's Friend

Money can buy many things, good and evil. All the wealth of the world could not buy you a friend, no

ing that, have wanted everything earth. If there is coolness or unkindness between us, let us come face to face and have it out. Quick. before leve grows cold ! "Life is too short to quarrel in," or to carry black thoughts of friends. If I was wrong, I am corry; if you, then I am sarrier yet, for should I not grieve for my friend's misfortune; and the monding of your fate, does not lie with me. But the forgiving it does, and that is the happier office. Give me your hand and call it even. There it is gone; and I thank a kind Heaven I keep my friend still | A friend is too precious a thing to be lightly held, but it must be a little heart that cannot find room for more than on two. The kindness I feel for warms me toward all the rest; makes me long to do something to make you all happy. It is easy to lose a fixed but a new one will not come for calling, nor make up for an old one when